



# 2022: Reflection on a Year of Collaboration & Progress

Through grantmaking, network formation, leadership development, and educational opportunities, Ausherman Family Foundation has provided \$3,737,594 in charitable dollars back into the community.



## Community Collaboration Highlights:

- Encouraging community-led workgroups and advocacy to bring meaningful change around Trauma, Transportation, Art, Youth Services, and Health.
- Addressing shared opportunities and gaps through the release of the second Frederick Funders Data Report and ensuring its sustainability by supporting Hood College's Data-Driven Frederick.
- Launching a pilot program of Vision to Learn to conduct eye exams on 1,000 students and provide eyeglasses to those who need them.
- Unification of New Spire Arts and Weinberg Center for the Arts to make the arts more accessible across the theater district.

## Our Funding Has Strengthened the Community By:

- Investing in organizations that are serving diverse constituencies through the launch of the Inclusion, Diversity, Equity-Aligned grant.
- Enhancing the history and culture of what makes Frederick unique through preservation, education, and public art.
- Organizing peer learning and educational opportunities, including the Nonprofit Summit, Burnout Prevention Seminar, and Meet the Frederick Funders.
- Enhancing the visual appearance and aesthetics of our community, which ultimately improves quality of life and economic empowerment.
- Equipping nonprofits with evaluation tools to measure and strengthen the quality and impact of their programs.

## Our Funding

**\$1,075,151**

Arts & Culture

**\$261,967**

Children, Youth, and Families

**\$2,181,623**

Health & Human Services

**\$218,853**

Public/Society Benefit

**\$3,737,594**

2022 Total Community Investment

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The Ausherman Family Foundation is a private foundation, established in 2006. The Trustees envision a thriving community of vibrant spaces and places, with a superior quality of life, and strong and collaborative nonprofit organizations. The Foundation's mission is to empower the passion for change in Frederick County, MD.

# Thank You

We thank our valued community partners, especially the dedicated nonprofits, fellow funders, and government agencies, for their hard work and incredible commitment to Frederick County each year. We look forward to what the next year brings!